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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

APPLICATION OF)
WERNER OBRECHT ET AL) GROUP NO.: 1712
SERIAL NUMBER: 10/033,247) EXAMINER: P. A. SHORT
FILED: DECEMBER 29, 2001)
TITLE: MICROGEL-CONTAINING RUBBER)
COMPOUNDS WITH PHOSPHORYL)
POLYSULFIDES AND)
VULCANIZATES OR SHAPED)
ARTICLES PREPARED THEREFROM)

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(A)

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sirs:

Applicants, by the undersigned attorney, respectfully petition the
Commissioner of Patents under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the
time for filing their response so that the **Request for Continued Examination**
(RCE) filed simultaneously with this Petition will be considered timely filed.

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